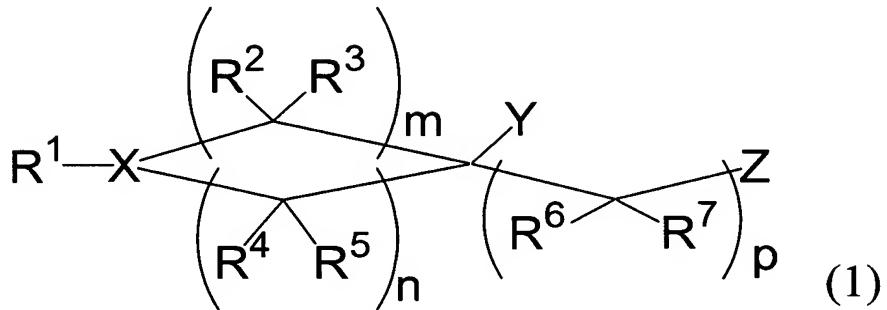


## ABSTRACT

The invention provides a compound of the following formula (1):



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wherein m, n, and p are independently an integer of 0 - 4, provided  $3 \leq m + n \leq 8$ ; X is nitrogen atom or a group of the formula:  $C-R^{15}$ ; Y is a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic group, etc.;  $R^{15}$ ,  $R^1$ ,  $R^2$ ,  $R^3$ ,  $R^4$ ,  $R^5$ ,  $R^6$  and  $R^7$  are hydrogen atom, a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl group, etc.; and Z is hydrogen atom, cyano group, etc., or a prodrug thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, which exhibits an action for enhancing LDL receptor expression, and is useful as a medicament for treating hyperlipidemia, atherosclerosis, etc.

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